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Attachment 4

510(K) Summary of Safety and Effectiveness

This 510(K) Summary of Safety and Effectiveness for the Clear Light™ Nd:YAG Laser System is submitted in accordance with the requirements of Safe Medical Device Act (SMDA) of 1990 and follows the Office of Device Evaluation (ODE) guidance concerning the organization and content of a 510(K) summary.

Applicant:

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Preparation Date:

11/01/00

Device Trade Name:

Palomar Clear LightTM Nd:YAG Laser System

Common Name:

Q:Switched Nd:YAG

Classification Name:

Laser surgical instrument for use in General and

Plastic Surgery and in Dermatology

(see: 21 CFR 878-4810). Product Code: GEX

Panel: 79

Legally-Marketed Predicate Device: Continuum Biomedical Medlite IV

K970808; K983054

System Description:

The complete system consists of a power supply unit, a cooling unit, a foot switch, and the hand piece that connects the laser unit and cooling unit using an umbilical cord. In standard use, the hand piece is held against the treatment area and the light pulse is delivered when the foot switch and hand switch is depressed. Laser parameters and other system features are controlled from a display panel located on the front of the power supply unit.

Intended Use of the Device:

The Palomar Clear LightTM Nd:YAG is indicated For removal of tattoos, pigmented and vascular lesions, and hair in Dermatology and Plastic

Surgery.

Performance Data:

The differences in the specifications of the laser and the predicate device do not result in different performance or raise new questions of safety or efficacy.

Conclusion:

Based on the foregoing, the Palomar Clear LightTM Nd:YAG Laser System is substantially equivalent to the legally-marketed claimed predicate device, i.e., the ConBio Medlite IV.



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Ms. Marcy Moore Manager of Clinical Studies Palomar Medical Technologies, Inc. 131 Kelekent Lane Cary, North Carolina 27511

Re:

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Trade Name: Palomar Clear Light™ Nd:YAG Laser System

Regulatory Class: II Product Code: GEX

Dated: November 2, 2000 Received: November 7, 2000

Dear Ms. Moore:

We have reviewed your Section 510(k) notification of intent to market the device referenced above and we have determined the device is substantially equivalent (for the indications for use stated in the enclosure) to devices marketed in interstate commerce prior to May 28, 1976, the enactment date of the Medical Device Amendments, or to devices that have been reclassified in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (Act). You may, therefore, market the device, subject to the general controls provisions of the Act. The general controls provisions of the Act include requirements for annual registration, listing of devices, good manufacturing practice, labeling, and prohibitions against misbranding and adulteration.

If your device is classified (see above) into either class H (Special Controls) or class HI (Premarket Approval), it may be subject to such additional controls. Existing major regulations affecting your device can be found in the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 21, Parts 800 to 895. A substantially equivalent determination assumes compliance with the current Good Manufacturing Practice requirement, as set forth in the Quality System Regulation (QS) for Medical Devices: General regulation (21 CFR Part 820) and that, through periodic (QS) inspections, the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) will verify such assumptions. Failure to comply with the GMP regulation may result in regulatory action. In addition, FDA may publish further announcements concerning your device in the Federal Register. Please note: this response to your premarket notification submission does not affect any obligation you might have under sections 531 through 542 of the Act for devices under the Electronic Product Radiation Control provisions, or other Federal laws or regulations.

This letter will allow you to begin marketing your device as described in your 510(k) premarket notification. The FDA finding of substantial equivalence of your device to a legally marketed predicate device results in a classification for your device and thus, permits your device to proceed to the market.

If you desire specific advice for your device on our labeling regulation (21 CFR Part 801 and additionally 809.10 for in vitro diagnostic devices), please contact the Office of Compliance at (301) 594-4595. Additionally, for questions on the promotion and advertising of your device, please contact the Office of Compliance at (301) 594-4639. Also, please note the regulation entitled, "Misbranding by reference to premarket notification" (21 CFR 807.97). Other general information on your responsibilities under the Act may be obtained from the Division of Small Manufacturers Assistance at its toll-free number (800) 638-2041 or (301) 443-6597 or at its internet address "http://www.fda.gov/cdrh/dsmamain.html".

Sincerely yours,

Alach M. Witten, Ph.D., M.D.

Director

Division of General, Restorative and Neurological Devices Office of Device Evaluation Center for Devices and Radiological Health

Enclosure

INDICATION FOR USE STATEMENT

510(K) Number: <u>K 00 3 4 60</u>
Device Name: Palomar Clear Light TM Nd:YAG Laser System
Indications for Use:
The Palomar Clear Light TM Nd:YAG laser system is indicated at the 1064 nm wavelength for dark ink tattoo removal, removal of pigmented lesions (particularly Nevus of Ota), and the removal or lightening of hair. The 532 nm wavelength is indicated for the removal of red ink tattoos, treatment of vascular lesions, including facial and leg veins, telangiectasias, angiomas, hemangiomas port wine stains, and most pigmented lesions (e.g., lentigines, ephlides).
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Prescription Use OR Over the Counter Use (per 21 CFR 801.109)
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